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SUBJECT: CUBAN CANDIDACY FOR THE ILO GOVERNING BODY

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Per reftel post delivered points to Mr. B.G. Uyangoda,
Director General of the UN and Multilateral Affairs
Division of the Sri Lanka Ministry of Foreign Affairs on
May 26, 2005. Reftel points were also copied to Mr.
Mahinda Madihahewa, Secretary, Ministry of Labor Relations
and Foreign Employment. Mr. Upali Athukorale, Additional
Secretary of the Ministry of Labor and Foreign Employment

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Relations, promised that the matter will be discussed
within the delegation. Post suggests US delegation raise
this issue directly with Sri Lankan delegation if time
permits and vote is close.

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